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1. USG HAS MADE 40,000 ST SCRAP ALLOCATION TO PRC FROM FIRST QUARTER CONTINGENCY RESERVE. THIS ALLOCATION WILL BE SHARED PRO-RATA BY THE FOUR US SCRAP EXPORTERS ENTITLED TO PRC QUOTA (NAMED PARA 1(C) REF B).THE FOUR EXPORTERS ARE BEING ADVISED OF ADDITIONAL ALLOCATION, AND PRESUMABLY WILL BE CONTACTING MINMETALS RE POSSIBLE SALES.

2. USLO REQUESTED TO INFORM MINMETALS SOONEST OF 40,000 ST CONTINGENCY ALLOCATION. USLO SHOULD ALSO ADVISE MINMETALS THAT US EXPORTERS MUST APPLY FOR NECESSARY USG EXPORT LICENSES BY COB MARCH 29, AND THAT EXPORT ORDER OR CONTRACT IS PREREQUISITE FOR USG EXPORT LICENSE. (US EXPORTERS
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ENTITLED TO SHARE ALLOCATION WHO HOLD UNFULFILLED PRC

SCRAP PURCHASE CONTRACTS MAY APPLY THEIR SHARES OF ALLOCATION AGAINST EXISTING CONTRACTS TO EXTENT THAT SUFFICIENT TONNAGE REMAINS TO BE SHIPPED UNDER CONTRACT TO COVER THEIR INDIVIDUAL ALLOCATIONS.) USG EXPORT LICENSES VALID FOR 90 DAYS FROM DATE OF ISSUE. UNLICENSED FIRST QUARTER TONNAGE (INCLUDING CONTINGENCY ALLOCATIONS) MAY NOT RPT NOT BE CARRIED OVER INTO SECOND QUARTER. ANY UNLICENSED TONNAGE REMAINING AFTER MARCH 29 DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF EXPORT LICENSE APPLICATIONS WILL EXPIRE. IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT MINMETALS PLACE NECESSARY PURCHASE ORDERS SOONEST IN ORDER TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE 40,000 ST CONTINGENCY ALLOCATION (ASSUMING ANY EXISTING CONTRACTS WITH ELIGIBLE US EXPORTERS WOULD NOT COVER INDIVIDUAL EXPORTER ALLOCATIONS).

3. FYI: FIRST QUARTER CONTINGENCY ALLOCATION TO PRC DOES NOT RPT NOT FORECLOSE POSSIBILITY OF SECOND QUARTER CONTINGENCY ALLOCATION. HOWEVER, GIVEN EXTREMELY HEAVY FOREIGN DEMAND FOR CONTINGENCY ALLOCATIONS, CASE FOR SECOND QUARTER PRC CONTINGENCY ALLOCATION WOULD BE WEAKENED IF FIRST QUARTER CONTINGENCY ALLOCATION NOT USED.
END FYI.

4. DEPARTMENT WOULD LIKE TO INFORM PRCLC OF CONTENTS PARA 1 AND 2 ABOVE AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME YOU INFORM MINMETALS. IN VIEW OF SHORT TIME AVAILABLE FOR LICENSE APPLICATION, USLO SHOULD NOTIFY DEPARTMENT PROMPTLY IF ANY DELAY IS ENCOUNTERED IN OBTAINING APPOINTMENT AT MINMETALS.
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